AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:

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Disclosure of the Invention

Please amend the heading at page 7, line 1 as follows:

Modes for Carrying Out the Invention

Detailed Description of

the Invention

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Zyl 926 is a new organism which the present inventors have produced. It has been deposited on 03/02/2003 with CABI Bioscience, Egham TW20 9TY, GB and given the accession number IMI 390106. It has been identified as a strain of *Amycolatopsis*. It has the following characteristics:-